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For: LACTAM DERIVATIVES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits, please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 26, line 5, please delete "cyclopentyl (methylsulphonate)" and insert -- cyclopentanemethanol(methane sulphonate)--.

Page 30, line 31, please insert -- 4- -- between 'trimethyl' and '[(2,3,4,5-'.

Page 32, line 5, please insert -- -5-methyl -- between 'Tetrahydro' and '-2'.

Page 47, line 18, please insert --[-- between '-4-' and '[1,2,3,6-';

line 19, please delete "-" between 'iodophenyl)' and 'methylamino]';

line 19, please insert -- -- between 'methyl' and '-1H-';

line 32, please insert -- 4- -- between 'trimethyl-' and '[(2,3,4,5-'.

Page 48, line 12, please insert -- 4- -- between 'trimethyl-' and '[(2,3,4,5-'.

Page 49, line 22, please insert -- 5-methyl -- between 'tetrahydro' and '-2-'.

Page 54 line 19, please delete "tablet" and insert -- capsule--.